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- The following are alleged to be daily production figures for explosives and bullets manufactured at Sprengstoffwerk Schoenebeck:

Item	Amount in Units
500-gram blasting caps (Sprengkapseln/ patronen)	10,000
250-gram blasting caps	20,000
3,000-gram blasting caps	5,000
Rifle bullets, 7.5 mm.	100,000

All these products are allegedly produced in the same pattern formerly used by the German Army. They are packed in containers bearing German and Russian labels. The explosives and bullets are shipped from the factory to the Leipzig-Lugelsdorf railroad switching station. From there they are sent on to Wismut AG and Frankfurt/Oder.

- It is reported that 600 women are employed in each of the three shifts at the plant. Work at the plant is allegedly carried on in 300 two to three-person bunkers located on the grounds of the plant.

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